

Partly cloudy and rather warm tonight and Tuesday, followed by rain Tuesday night.

Costa Rican Plea Is Placed Before Rio Signatories

American Foreign Ministers To Rule On 'Invasion' Case By Tuesday

Washington, Dec. 13 (AP)—Costa Rica's appeal under the Rio pact for inter-American help to repel an armed invasion went before 21 western hemisphere foreign ministers today.

Neighboring Nicaragua was formally accused of providing the springboard for the Communist supported attack by between 200 and 1,000 men.

The foreign ministers will decide by tomorrow afternoon whether to convene an emergency session to consider defensive measures under the mutual aid treaty in effect only ten days.

Yesterday's action under the inter-American defense system followed rapidly after invaders landed in the Bay of San Jose and overpowered a 20-man garrison in La Cruz.

The Costa Rican government charged the invading force is made up of Communists, Nicaraguan guardsmen disguised in "flashy blue uniforms" and not more than 100 Costa Rican political exiles.

Rafael Calderon Guardia, a former Costa Rican president routed by the current Junta last May, was named as the leader by the San Jose regime.

In Nicaragua, Gen. Anastasio Somoza, a war minister and strong opponent of the Communists, denied the troops came from his country and said they were Costa Ricans.

He announced the National Guard is patrolling the border to prevent any contact with the invaders.

School's Fire Escapes Missing

Pittston, Pa., Dec. 13 (AP)—Police Chief Frank Swift was looking for an escape today—or rather a couple of escapes.

All the fire escapes on the two-story Barry Public School in Pittston township—about 60 feet of them weighing hundreds of pounds—had disappeared.

One thing was certain. Unless Chief Swift recovers the missing fire escapes quickly, the school board will have to call a special meeting, advertise for bids and have new ones erected.

Thurmond Given Tennessee Vote

Nashville, Tenn., Dec. 13 (AP)—Eleven of Tennessee's 12 electoral votes were cast today for President Truman.

The 12th went to J. Strom Thurmond, candidate for President of the States Rights party.

Preston Parks, Somerville attorney, was the lone Democratic elector to withhold his vote from the party's nominee.

OFFERS RESIGNATION

New York, Dec. 13 (AP)—Alec Hiss, a principal in the Soviet spy investigation, submitted his resignation as head of the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace today, but trustees tabled the resignation. He was granted a three-months leave of absence.

Probers On Trail Typewriter Clue

Investigators Hunt Machine Used To Copy Secret Gov't Papers For Spy Ring; Announcement Is Anticipated Today

Washington, Dec. 13 (AP)—Congressional spy investigators were reported hot on the trail today of a typewriter they suspect was used in 1937 and 1938 to copy secret government papers for a Red spy ring.

Aides to the House un-American Activities committee would not comment on these reports circulating at the capital except to say that acting chairman Mundt (R-SD) might have an announcement about a typewriter. Mundt made a flying week-end trip to his home state. He was due back this afternoon. Because of his absence, a committee session originally scheduled for noon was postponed.

The committee has been searching for the typewriter ever since it got its hands on papers which Whitaker Chambers, who says he was a courier for the Communists in the 1930's, testified were stolen government documents.

Experts in identification say every typewriter has individual characteristics which can be determined. So the committee has been trying

to locate the typewriter and determine who owned it 10 years ago. Asked directly whether the committee has located the machine, Robert E. Stripling, chief investigator for the House group, said: "No comment."

He also refused comment on a story in the Philadelphia Evening Bulletin that three or four typewritten sheets have been located near Philadelphia and are regarded as important clues in the case.

The Bulletin said these sheets are believed to have been typed on a machine used at one time by a relative of Mrs. Alger Hiss. Hiss, a former state department employee is one of those accused by Chambers of removing secret papers from government files for the Communist ring. Hiss has denied that.

The running fire of criticism between the committee and the administration kept going. Rep. Nixon (R-Calif.) said he believed the Justice department is using a grand jury inquiry into Communist activities to "filibuster" the committee's work, and that a "white-wash" may be in the making.

Cold War Strategists Regard China 'Lost'

U.S. Concentrates On Strengthening West Europe; Madame Chiang's Mission Viewed A Failure

Washington, Dec. 13 (AP)—The United States—prepared to write off China as an almost certain loss—concentrated today on securing a non-Communist western Europe.

Mme. Chiang Kai-Shek's extraordinary mission to Washington her two appeals to Secretary of State Marshall and her one direct appeal to President Truman, a year not to have changed any important part of the American attitude toward the global struggle with the Communists.

Her mission is widely regarded here as a failure; the government she represents as a failing regime. While Mme. Chiang kept her own counsel, and possibly looked for a graceful means of exit, official Washington generally showed great indifference to her problem and diplomats mainly concerned themselves with the future of Europe.

In this respect, representatives of the United States and Canada and the five western European countries—Britain, France, Belgium, the Netherlands and Luxembourg—settled down to work in earnest on the drafting of a North Atlantic military alliance.

The security talks now being resumed are part of a broad pattern for making western Europe so strong that eventually it will be able by its very success to break down the barriers to eastern Europe.

American authorities, though they talk little about it, are counting heavily on that concept to restore the traditional balance of power in Europe and to some extent in the world.

One 'Tom' Gets In White House

Washington, Dec. 13 (AP)—President Truman today received for his Christmas dinner a 40-pound turkey described as "one Tom that got into the White House."

The big bird was presented by the Poultry and Egg National Board and the National Turkey Federation.

W. S. Stafford, member of the firm of Stafford Oldsmobile Company, was elected an alderman to fill the unexpired term of N. G. Raynor, resigned. The term ends next June 30.

Alderman Heber Tripp was authorized to spend not more than \$75 for planting trees in a circle adjoining Woodlawn avenue. The aldermen informally discussed the parking meter situation.

Honor War Dead By Giving Blood
Baltimore, Dec. 13 (AP)—Twenty-three employees of the Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co. here are paying tribute in a practical way today to a fellow worker killed in the war.

Reds May Force Chiang Fall Back To Yangtze Line

Heavy Losses And Communist Infiltrations Endanger Nationalist Forces

Nanking, Dec. 13 (AP)—Chiang Kai-Shek's watch on the Yangtze is coming sooner than expected.

With a Chinese Communist attack reported only 50 miles northwest of this capital, government military sources said today that Red infiltration and heavy Nationalist losses may soon force abandonment of the new Hwai River defense line. That would shove national defenses back to the Yangtze river.

These sources reported that more than 50,000 troops of the government's long encircled 12th army group have been wiped out southwest of Nanking, about 145 miles northwest of Nanking.

The 12th, which originally numbered some 110,000 now has been compressed into an area of less than four square miles. Its critical shortage of supplies is worsening. Pilots report difficulty in dropping material into the shrinking target area.

The 12th has been trapped 17 days. The Chinese Communist radio asserted Sunday night that the government's sixth army had been stopped in its effort to break through to the 12th. The sixth moved north from the Hwai river line and its anchor at Pengpu, and once was within 22 miles of joining the 12th.

The 12th is 53 miles south of Hsuehsien and 105 miles northwest of Nanking. The Red radio asserted that remnants of the 12th army group are "being mopped up." Neutral observers said elimination of the 12th would free at least 80,000 Red troops for action against the understrength sixth and eighth army groups.

Communist units crossing the Hwai east of Pengpu already are threatening the vital rail link between Pukow, on the Yangtze, and Pengpu. Traffic has been disrupted frequently.

Two Men Held In Dynamiting Of Lincolnton Home

Lincolnton, N.C., Dec. 13 (AP)—Two men were held by Lincolnton County officers today in connection with the dynamiting of a Lincolnton home Saturday night.

Sheriff George Rudisill said the blast was touched off by three sticks of dynamite placed under a five-room frame house. The charge blew four occupants out of their beds and tore the roof from three of the rooms.

The officer reported Claude Franklin, 26, of Bessemer City, and Jake Keene, 40, of Lincolnton county, are being held on charges of secret assault with intent to kill.

The house is occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Odell Fullender.

No Gratitude By Stranded Kitten

New York, Dec. 13 (AP)—A yawling kitten, stranded on the girder of an elevated structure, led would-be rescuers a merry chase yesterday before it was removed from its lofty perch.

Police, firemen and an electric light maintenance crew labored but couldn't coax the animal down. Finally an SPCA agent shinned up the girder, reached out and grabbed the kitten by the tail.

Angered, Tabby promptly bit him, leaped free, landed on the head of a fireman below and dashed up an alley, its nine lives still intact.

Stockpile Of Coal Softens Lewis' Bargaining Position

Washington, Dec. 13 (AP)—A soft coal stockpile big enough to last the country 40-odd days has led to speculation over how John L. Lewis may be viewing this potential threat to his bargaining position.

Some operators are wondering whether Lewis will call some kind of mine shutdown to trim the above-ground reserves.

Any big supply of coal such as the 70,000,000 tons already mined and ready for use is bad for the miners when they are negotiating a new contract. The operators can drive a better bargain when they are not under pressure from industry and home owners to get a contract at any cost. Sur pressures have helped Lewis in his last two contract battles with the operators.

But the present wage agreement does not expire until next June 30, so the stockpile may shrink naturally long before then.

'No-Compromise' Warning By Russia As UN Meet Ends

Paris, Dec. 13 (AP)—Russia—bitter over the drubbing she has taken in the United Nations general assembly—dropped diplomatic niceties last night to issue a no-compromise warning to the west.

Andrei Y. Vishinsky Soviet Deputy Foreign Minister, attacked Britain and the United States in the closing minutes of the Paris Assembly.

That part of the session usually is reserved for expressions of praise and hopeful thoughts for the future. John Foster Dulles, acting chairman of the U. S. delegation, led off in traditional fashion.

But Vishinsky strode to the rostrum and reviewed every case in which the Russians had fought the west.

This is not the time, he said, for paeans of praise. He said the Russian delegation could not speak of any affirmative results in Paris. He declared the session would be described in history as one which took further steps toward a policy of wrecking international cooperation.

The assembly adjourned at 6:11 p. m. (12:11 p. m. EST) to meet again in New York April 1, 1949 to complete its work.

Vishinsky's outburst came soon after the Russian bloc had taken a severe beating in the assembly. The delegates voted 48 to six with one abstention (Sweden) to endorse the government of the republic of Korea (south Korea).

The vote also continued a U. N. Korean commission and instructed it to seek barred to unify Korea. Russia has barred the U. N. commission from northern Korea where she has set up a "people's republic."

Vishinsky, who has lost every major fight with the west in the assembly, tried vainly to do away with the Korean commission. On this proposal too, the vote was 46 to six against him.

The end of the Paris assembly, the longest so far in the world body's history, found the western powers and Russia further apart than ever.

Hitler Rumor

Winston-Salem, N.C., Dec. 13 (AP)—A current rumor here today says Adolf Hitler—without the moustache—is now in this area painting houses for a living.

Numerous telephone calls to the newspapers, radio stations and the police department inquired for verification of Der Fuehrer's operations here in Forsyth County.

No one said he saw Hitler. In fact, no one could name anyone who said he saw him. But somewhere along the line, in that misty, intangible place where old pricifiers spend a lot of their time, the Twin City's Hitler was spawned.

Repulse Raid By Greek Guerrillas

Athens, Dec. 13 (AP)—Government forces threw 2,500 to 3,000 Communist guerrillas out of Karditsa in North Central Greece in a short but violent battle today, a general staff spokesman announced.

The Communists, using heavy machineguns and mortars, made a determined effort to take the strategically located city. Fifth columnists were reported to have prepared the way for the attack, but government reinforcements, including tank forces, battered through to the heart of the town and turned back the assault.

Karditsa is far from the recent scenes of fighting. It is 100 miles east of the Albanian border and south of the Yugoslav border, the areas of Communist strength, and only 135 miles northwest of Athens.

Reports from Larissa and from Karditsa itself told of savage street fighting last night. The dispatches said fifth columnists in the town as the attack was launched, cut all roads and dynamited the bridge connecting Karditsa and Trikkala.

In the heart of the town, as the attackers neared, buildings were blown up and barricades were thrown across streets.

Eleanor Scoffs At Cabinet Post

New York, Dec. 13 (AP)—Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt says a proposal that President Truman name her Secretary of State if the ailing Secretary George C. Marshall retires "is too silly to comment on."

"However," she told newsmen last night, "I hope Secretary Marshall will not retire, for the good of the country and the good of the world."

Fire Almost Completely Destroys 'Airport Inn'

Only Back Wall And Portion Of One Wing Of Building Left Standing Following Early Morning Conflagration

A fire of unknown origin almost completely destroyed the Airport Inn, one of Greenville's most popular restaurants, during the early morning hours today. Leroy Cherry, owner of the Airport Inn, estimated the damage between \$30,000 and \$35,000. The loss was partially covered by insurance.

Fixtures of the establishment were completely destroyed by the fire, and only the back wall and a portion of one wing of the building were left standing.

Firemen received the report of the fire about 3:30 this morning and fought the fire for almost three hours before bringing it under control. "The flames had already broken through the roof of the building

when we got there," said Fireman Paul Nethercutt. Firemen said the flames from the building could be seen from the river bridge as the trucks went to the fire.

The fire was reported by Billy Wilson who lives on the airport road. Wilson said he and his father saw the flames from their house about 3:15 and he dressed and went about one-quarter of a mile to a telephone to report the fire. "Daddy said when he saw the fire it was burning in the front glass," the boy said.

Rose for fighting the fire had to be laid from a hydrant at the gate of the airport, 150 feet to the building before firemen could get water to turn on the hose. Firemen expressed the belief that the blaze started either in the kitchen or in the front of the building. The stock in the storage room behind the main building was saved.

Coins in the juke boxes of the restaurant were melted together by the heat, and owner Cherry said some meat which was stored in a refrigerator in the kitchen was ruined. Cherry said he is undecided at the present time whether he will rebuild the restaurant.

Regional Schools Price Tag Fixed

Savannah, Ga., Dec. 13 (AP)—Southern Educators today set a \$3,000,000 to 4,000,000 price tag on the nation's first program for regional college education.

But several governors assembled for a southern Governors' conference here said they would balk at the figure.

Educators made their proposals in conference extending from early yesterday into the small hours today. They suggested immediate regional action to meet "acute" southern needs in medical and veterinary training, graduate studies and educational research.

Several Governors taking a lead in preliminary talks said they probably would whittle this down to about \$2,000,000 for a pioneering share-the-wealth plan in medical and veterinary training only.

The unique and intricate plan called for contributions from 14 Southern states for the educational benefit of all.

Kentucky, the only Southern state not included, will be asked to join. Tonight the Dixie State Executives will hear John R. Steelman, assistant to President Truman. Tomorrow they will turn to other Southern problems.

Ruritans Meet In Rocky Mount

Rocky Mount, N.C., Dec. 13 (AP)—Ruritan Club members representing organizations all the way from Durham to the coast gathered here today for the annual convention of district "E."

Nearly 200 Ruritans from the 43 clubs in the district were expected for the two sessions which will be held this afternoon and tonight. Congressman Harold D. Cooley, of Nashville will be the principal speaker tonight.

Electors Meet To Cast Votes

Raleigh, N.C., Dec. 13 (AP)—North Carolina's Presidential electors met here today and—to no one's surprise—voted to cast the State's 14 electoral votes for President Truman and Senator Alben Barkley.

The 14 electors, who were nominated by the Democratic party and elected in the Nov. 2 general election, were sworn in by Associate Justice Emory B. Denny of the state Supreme court.

Flood Crest Moves Near Rich Oregon Valley Farms

Eugene, Ore., Dec. 13 (AP)—A rain swollen river flood crest swirled out of here today toward the farming heartland of Oregon's fertile Willamette valley.

Four persons have perished in the floods and storms that stranded 300 neighbors away from home and ripped apart transportation and communication links throughout the state.

Trunk highways and rural roads are blocked by high water in the lowlands and slide slides and snow in the mountains.

Weather forecasts of light showers today and freezing temperatures

Western Powers Asked To Reform 'Kommandatura'

Berlin, Dec. 13 (AP)—Mayor Ernest Reuter asked the three Western powers tonight to reorganize the Allied Kommandatura without the Russians. The response was favorable.

The Social Democrat leader was elected in the Dec. 5 voting. He placed the revival of the Kommandatura, which has been inactive since the Russians walked out last summer, at the top of his agenda. The Kommandatura was the four-power agency through which the occupying powers governed Berlin.

Reuter also proposed that boundaries between the three Western zones be abolished, putting Western Berlin on the same plane as Western Germany.

The military governors of the U.S., Britain and France will meet tomorrow in the Kommandatura building. An American official said it is highly possible the session will be devoted to organizing three-power rule.

Western sector police reported another attempted kidnapping by Communist cops. They said two members of the Soviet sector police attacked one of their men, Hans Lauplicher, Sunday night in the American zone. Lauplicher knocked down one man and warded off a knife thrust by the other before the assassins escaped.

A British licensed newspaper said German Communists are talking with the Russians about creating a republic of Eastern Germany in April.

The Socialist newspaper Telegraf said the republic apparently would be set up after the Communists complete a purge of their party ranks.

Communist Max Sydevits, minister-president of the Soviet-occupied state of Saxony, was said to be the choice for president of the future republic.

Telegraf said talks between the Communists and the Soviet military command had taken place at Karlsruher, a Berlin suburb.

Tripped And Fell, But Carried On

New York, Dec. 13 (AP)—Soprano Kirsten Flagstad tripped on a rug and fell flat on her face on the platform of Carnegie Hall last night.

She got to her feet before assistance could reach her, and was offstage only a few seconds.

A bit red-cheeked, she resumed her recital. The soprano earned tumultuous applause and cheers for her performance, and the audience was on its feet twice.

See Rest From Sun Spot Cycle

Washington, Dec. 13 (AP)—The Naval Observatory says things are going to quiet down on the sun for the next few years.

The peak of the current 11-year cycle of sunspots was passed last year, said Capt. Guy W. Clark, superintendent of the observatory, in a statement today. "We can expect to see fewer spots during the next few years."

Value Of UN Session

Little Accomplished As Assembly Adjourned With Soviet Charge Western Leaders Caused World War II; Organization Hamstrung, But Peace Depends On Success

The United Nations General Assembly has concluded a torrid 12-week Paris session with results which, in the main, are of questionable concrete value.

Millions of words were poured over the dam without turning any mill wheels to grind the grist for which peace minded folk are hungering.

Much of this torrent of language has been devoted to the bitter warfare between the Soviet bloc and the anti-Communist countries. This reached its peak Saturday when Andrei Y. Vishinsky, the Russian delegate, hurled at his former allies the awful charge:

"The cause of the second world war is not so much Hitler, but the leaders of France and Britain, supported by the U.S.A."

That was the note on which the assembly adjourned, with the Soviet bloc and the anti-Bolsheviks apparently farther apart than ever. It is this dangerous division which presumably impelled British Foreign Secretary Bevin to say during a speech in Parliament the other day:

"The United Nations is giving us grave concern as to whether it is going to face up to grave problems at all." Bevin was voicing the thoughts of observers in general. So long as the world is divided into two hostile blocs, and those blocs are sharply reflected in the United Nations, how can we expect the peace organization to function properly?

The answer, as I see it, is that the UN will remain a largely hamstrung just so long as the ideological "cold war" continues. You might as well expect the general staffs of two warring nations to get together and agree on military operations as to expect that those UN blocs can cooperate.

That's an unhappy conclusion, but I don't believe it means we must abandon the UN without further trial. The establishment of the peace organization is evidence of the great ideal which good men have been pursuing for centuries. It is a historic experiment. Thomas Edison didn't quit trying to create the incandescent lamp or the "talking machine" because he didn't make his experiments jell the first time. So I take it we must carry on. As a matter of fact, who would want to do anything else? The view of the example set by Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt, who announced in Paris that she plans to devote the



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There will be a great treat, best brass band in the state, a balloon ascension and a great display of fireworks at the big land sale at Farmville.

Christmas Party
The American Home department of the Woman's Club will hold its annual family night Christmas party at the club house at 7:30 on Friday night.

Third Street School F. T. A.
The Third Street School F. T. A. will hold its regular meeting Wednesday night at 7:30. The school Glee Club will give a program of Christmas music and a religious picture will be shown.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

MONDAY
6:00 p. m.—W. S. C. S. Harvest Day dinner and program will be held in the Ellington class room of Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church.
6:30 p. m.—Rotary Club.
7:00 p. m.—Lion's Club.

TUESDAY
8:00 p. m.—Lector Book Club meets at the home of Mrs. Kenneth Phillips.
8:30 p. m.—Chatham Book Club will meet at the home of Mrs. W. D. Tucker.
7:00 p. m.—The Greenville Music Club Christmas dinner will be held at the Woman's Club.
7:30 p. m.—Registered Nurses hold Christmas meeting at Red Oak community house.
8:00 p. m.—Witha Council Degree of Pochontas meets.
8:30 p. m.—Fidelis class of Memorial Baptist Church meets in the church parlor.

WEDNESDAY
8:00 p. m.—Junior Woman's Club meets at the club house.

FRIDAY
6:30 p. m.—Kiwanis Club.
7:30 p. m.—Red Men meet.

THURSDAY
7:00 p. m.—Mrs. David Brant and Mrs. William Taft will be hostesses to members of the Enter Se Club and their husbands at the Woman's Club.
8:00 p. m.—A program of Christmas music to which the public is invited will be presented by the department of music of East Carolina Teachers College in Austin auditorium. Special attractions will be the cantata "Stabat Mater Speciosa" by Philip James sung by the College Choir under the direction of Dr. Karl V. Gilbert and a group of carols composed by students at the college.

FRIDAY
7:30 p. m.—American Home department of the Woman's Club holds Christmas party at the club house.

members and their guests. After refreshments the club returned to the living room to hear Mrs. J. H. Rose read in her moving way the beautiful Christmas story, "Dust of the Road," by Kenneth Sawyer Goodman. The meeting closed with carol singing. With Mrs. Messick at the piano and Mrs. Stancill leading, the group let their voices ring out in the well-loved old Christmas carols until all felt that another Christmas season had been happily and appropriately ushered in.

Among the guests present were Mrs. J. H. Rose, Mrs. A. D. Frank, Mrs. L. L. Rives, Mrs. Adelaide Bloxton, Mrs. Spruill Spain, Mrs. Charles Cooper, Miss Margaret Williams and Mrs. Eimo Savage whom we are happy to welcome as a new member.

The next meeting will be on January 11th at the home of Mrs. W. H. Woolard. Mrs. Robert Lee Humber will give the program.

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No invitations mailed in Greenville.

Spending Week End in Pinehurst
Those from Greenville who are spending the week end at the Carolina hotel, Pinehurst, are Mrs. E. E. Rawl and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Rawl, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. James T. Little and James T., Jr., Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Vallcourt, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Brogan and Mrs. E. H. Willford.

Christmas Party of White Shrine
All sojourners of the Greenville White Shrine No. 7 are cordially invited to attend the Christmas party to be held at Mrs. Carrie Munford's home, 517 Evans street, Wednesday night, December 15th, from 8 o'clock until 11. Come and bring your husband, wife or sweetheart. Gifts will be exchanged. A good time is in store.

Mrs. Rose Reads Christmas Story
On Saturday afternoon, December 11th, the Literature Department of the Woman's Club met at the home of Mrs. John D. Messick for its Christmas party. Assistant hostesses were Mrs. Louella Stancill and Mrs. H. A. Coleman.


There was a short business meeting first. Mrs. W. H. Woolard announced that the Literature department will subscribe to the Saturday Evening Post to be sent to the soldiers at Cherry Point as a Christmas present. A motion was made and carried that a collection should be taken to buy a Christmas Seal Bond. At the end of the meeting Mrs. Woolard announced that enough had been raised to buy a \$10 Christmas Seal bond to aid the Pitt County Tuberculosis Association.

Dainty refreshments suitable to the Christmas season were then served in the dining room. The table was colorful and gay with tall red tapers and Christmas greenery. Mrs. Dan Vornholt poured Russian for an unusually large number of

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Policemen's Ball Wednesday Night

By CHESTER WALSH
The Policemen's Ball and "Floor show" to be given in Wright auditorium at the college Wednesday night at 9 o'clock will be one of the outstanding social events of the fall season. Ell Bloom, of Kiwanis minstrel fame, will be master of ceremonies. Rodney Roberts' Music Majors Orchestra will provide the music. The floor show will be original and unique. Some of the male and female participants are widely known, one of them having appeared in shows abroad. There will be various prizes offered.
Chief Lester D. Page said the floor show will be as good as some parts of the Kiwanis minstrel.
Mayor Jack Boyd said the ball and show is bound to be good if Ell Bloom is putting it on. The public is invited.
Tickets for the Policemen's Ball and floor show are a dollar each. Policemen are selling them and they will be on sale at the door Wednesday night. The ball is being given for the benefit of the Police Fund, which provides aid for officers, injured, wounded or ill. Similar balls are given in many North Carolina towns and cities each year.

Religious Emphasis Week To Be Held In January At College

Religious Emphasis Week at East Carolina Teachers College will be sponsored this school year for the first time by all student religious organizations on the campus and has been scheduled from Tuesday, January 11, through Friday, January 14. The YMCA, the YWCA, and the denominational clubs at the college are at present drawing up plans for a series of speeches and conferences, including an opening chapel service and a vesper service which will conclude the program.
Major addresses of the week will be based on the theme "Richer Living for Everyone" and will take place each evening in the Austin auditorium. Speakers have not yet been announced.

Fidels Class to Meet
The Fidels class of Memorial Baptist Church will meet Tuesday night at 8 o'clock in the church parlor.

What To Do For A Cold

At the first sign of a cold, you should obey three simple rules:
1. Keep warm and get as much rest as possible.
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Forensic Group Starts Work On Debate Series

Members of the Jarvis Forensic Club of East Carolina Teachers College have begun work on a series of intercollegiate debates in which they will engage during the winter and the spring quarters of 1949. Geraldine Amundson of New York City, president of the student group, and Dr. Meredith N. Posey, faculty adviser, are in charge of arrangements for the events.
Tryptouts to select affirmative and negative teams for debating tournaments scheduled for the spring at Mary Washington College, Fredericksburg, Va., and at Lenoir-Rhyne, Hickory, have been set for January 13. Members of the Jarvis Forensic club are already studying and discussing the intercollegiate debate topic. Resolved, That the Federal Government should adopt a policy of Equalizing Educational Opportunity in tax supported schools by means of annual grants.
At a recent meeting of the organization an invitation to debate the intercollegiate topic with affirmative and negative teams from the Norfolk Division of William and Mary was accepted, and plans for holding the contest here on December 16 are now in progress.

Cases Tried In Police Court

By CHESTER WALSH
In Police Court last Friday, Judge Jimmy Roberts and Solicitor Ell Bloom disposed of the following cases:
Simon Nobles, colored, was not guilty of larceny and the prosecuting witness was taxed with the costs for malicious and frivolous prosecution.
Speeding James A. Harrington paid \$20; Heber Johnson paid \$20; Fred H. Poore, \$20; Norwood E. Tripp paid \$20.
Reckless driving: John A. Freeman, colored, (and driving without an operator's license), was fined a total of \$45 and ordered to pay damages to the prosecuting witness; Mrs. Adrian Paramore was not guilty; John G. Lautares was not guilty; Donald W. Millard paid \$20.
Leslie M. Pope, driving drunk and hit-and-run, was fined \$100 and costs and his driver's license was ordered revoked for a year.
Abandonment and non-support: Ralph Dixon, colored, guilty of non-support of his child, he was fined \$15 and ordered to pay \$15 a month for support of the child; Joe C. Langley paid \$15 and costs and was ordered to pay \$4 a week for support of his child.
Sadie Horton paid \$15 for assault with a deadly weapon.
Tommy Thigpen, colored, paid \$15 for assault on a female.
Albert Lee Smith paid \$15 for assault and being drunk.

Install New Electric Kiln For Art Course

The art department of East Carolina Teachers College has recently installed an electric kiln which will be used in courses in ceramics now being offered at the college. Said to be one of the best on the market, the kiln has been installed in the

basement of the Austin building and is now ready for use.
The firing chamber of the new kiln is large enough to fire statuettes and is suited to work on dishes, bowls and vases, glazes of all kinds, and slip ware, that is, colored clays used in embellishing.

Holiday Program For Music Club Tuesday

Members of the Greenville Music Club will celebrate the Christmas season at a dinner given Tuesday evening in the Woman's Club at 7:30 o'clock. A holiday program to be carried out during the evening will be based on the theme "Christmas Music from Many Lands". A special Christmas menu has been planned for the event, and decorations will be appropriate to the season. Approximately 100 guests are expected to attend.
Robert L. Humber will act as narrator and will introduce numbers on the program. Working with Mrs. R. R. Willmann, president, in planning the entertainment are Mrs. Moya Dall, music director; Mrs. Paul Daventport, of Pactolus, program chairman, Mrs. E. S. Hamric, secretary and a committee made up of Mrs. Travis Hooker, Mrs. J. H. Waldrop, Mrs. J. B. James, Mrs. J. D. Messick, Mrs. R. L. Humber, Mrs. Vance Perkins, and James L. Fleming.

V. F. W. Auxiliary Meeting Postponed
The meeting of the V. F. W. Auxiliary has been postponed until December 30.

Round Table Meeting Postponed
The meeting of the Round-Table planned for Tuesday at 1 p. m. has been postponed.

W. H. Congleton Died In Sanatorium

William Henry Congleton, 66, died at Eastern North Carolina Sanatorium in Wilson Sunday night at 4:25 o'clock following a month of critical illness.
Funeral services will be conducted at the home of Mrs. Hattie Hardee, near Stokes, Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock by Elder A. B. Ayers, Primitive Baptist minister of Beargrass. Burial will be in the Congleton family cemetery near Stokes.
Mr. Congleton was born, reared and spent his entire life in the Stokes community and was a farmer. Surviving are several nieces and nephews.

Workers Steal Airlift Items

Berlin, Dec. 12—(AP)—Germans working at Allied airlift bases are stealing from three to 10 per cent of small packaged consumer goods flown to Berlin, officials admitted today.
...easy sacks of coal and flour which form the bulk of the airlift tonnage, are rarely bothered.

Richard Worthington Funeral Held Today

Richard M. Worthington, 62, farmer of the Ayden Community died in Pitt General Hospital Saturday afternoon at 3:15 o'clock following several months of critical illness.
Funeral services were conducted at the home of his daughter, Mrs. David H. Smith of near Ayden this

afternoon at 3 o'clock by Rev. W. H. Brunson, Christian minister of Ayden, and Rev. E. G. Cole, Baptist minister of Winterville. Burial was in the Worthington cemetery.
Mr. Worthington, son of the late Caleb and Charis McLawhorn Worthington, spent all his life in the Ayden Community. He was married in 1888 to Luna McLawhorn, and she died in 1889. Surviving this union is a son, Jerry R. Worthington of near Ayden. He was later married to Emma McArthur and she died in 1945. Surviving this union are two daughters, Mrs. David H. Smith of near Ayden, and Mrs. J. D. McArthur of Winterville; eight grandchildren, four great-grandchildren; two brothers, Fred Worthington of Ayden, and Dr. E. C. Worthington of Kinston; and a sister, Mrs. W. B. Clayton of Kinston.



All Set For The Holiday Season

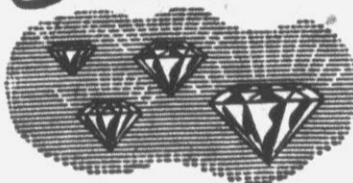
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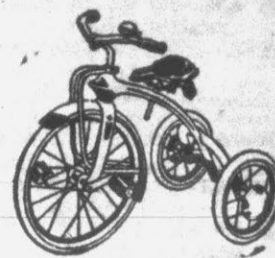
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it on, go to church in it, and then
come home and, taking it off, hold
it carefully and put it away in moth
balls. This is not only true of Pres-
byterians (the present writer hap-
pens to be one), but of every other
religious group known to man. We
like to confine our religion to a de-
finite area or associate it with a
few pious customs or relegate it to
a few sacred occasions. As for life
in general—well, there we intend
to have a good time, indulge our-
selves, hate our enemies, and seek
to get ahead regardless of others
and all the while the religion we
profess on Sunday is wrapped up in
moth balls and put away carefully
on a high shelf.

Dr. Samuel Johnson once re-
marked that a life which will bear
the inspection of men and God is
the only certificate of true religion.

Around Capitol Square

By LYNN NISBET

POLITICS—Elections and offi-
cials come and go, but politics
around Raleigh, like Tennyson's
brook, "goes on forever." Although
three weeks remain of Governor
Cherry's term, and Kerr Scott has
a full four year administration be-
ginning early in January, some of
the political prognosticators are al-
ready speculating on prospective
candidates for governor in 1952. If
the rotation system is maintained
the governor for that period will
fall from the western part of the
state. Some contend that the east-
west rotation was upset by nomina-
tion this year of Kerr Scott from
Alamance County, which some east-
erners contended was in the west.

NAMES—Two names have been
heard in connection with the next
governor's race and geographic con-
siderations arise with respect to
both. Friends of Wilbur P. Horton
of Chatham County have quoted
him as saying he will be a candidate
in 1952. Clyde Erwin, superintendent
of public instruction, has long been
regarded as having gubernatorial
ambitions. One or two others
have been casually mentioned but
without the apparent authority ac-
corded these two.

HORTON—Horton hails from
Fitzboro in Chatham County, al-
most the geographic center of the
state. It is west of Bonboro in Per-
son County from which Reg Harris
was elected a western lieutenant
governor, and west of Hillsboro in
Orange County from which point
Sandy Graman ran as a western
candidate for governor, after serv-
ing as a western lieutenant governor.
It is slightly east of Haw River,
home of eastern Governor-elect
Scott. Horton was lieutenant gov-
erner with Hoy and was runner-up
in the primary for governor in 1940
when J. M. Broughton was nomi-
nated as an easterner.

ERWIN—Clyde Erwin was born
and reared in Cleveland, spent sev-
eral years as a school teacher in
Rutherford County, before coming
to Raleigh as state superintendent
in 1934. He still calls Cleveland
County his home, although he has
voted in Wake County for the past
several years. He could probably
qualify as either an eastern or
western candidate.

UNANNOUNCED—Neither Erwin
nor Horton has publicly committed
himself to candidacy, but friends of
both have quoted them in private
commitments. For some months
public school folks have reported
statements and actions by Dr. Er-
win indicating his interest in the
governorship four years hence.

DARK HORSES—Nobody knows
better than the folks who are in-
dustry in this kind of gossip the
futility of predictions so far ahead;
but they seem to get a kick out
of it. Some observers think the next
governor will probably be some per-
son who will not have been thought
of in that connection until a few
months before the primary. Despite
a lot of talk about governors being
picked far in advance, truth is they
are not. A year ago the idea that
Kerr Scott would be governor had
not occurred to anybody—not even

Underneath The (Fallen) Arches



to him. Ralph McDonald didn't get
to be governor, but he scared the
daylights out of the Hoey forces in
1936—and a few months before that
campaign started his name wasn't
recognized outside of Forsyth County.

UNKNOWN—A long time partici-
pant in state politics has outlined
his specifications for the governor
to succeed Scott in 1953, as follows:
He will be a young man, probably
not more than 40 and almost cer-
tainly under 50 years old. He will
have an outstanding record of lead-
ership acquired within the three
years immediately preceding the
primary. War service will not be
as significant as general public serv-
ice in civilian life, but will be count-
ed an asset. All of these factors
mean that he will not have been
identified with any presently exist-
ing faction or group within the
Democratic party, although he will
be a Democrat. And, finally, "he"
might be a woman. That's what
the man said.

Boyle's Column

By HAL BOYLE

New York—There is an un-
usual young man from Hollywood
in town.

He's been here a week and hasn't
kicked a pigeon on the shins—let
alone a policeman. He hasn't put
his fist against anybody's face in
a burst of Bourbon-barn exuberance.
Nor has he been accused of being
the life of a refter party.

These are negative virtues, may-
hap, but Jerome Courtland, who
bears the heavy responsibility of hav-
ing given Shirley Temple one of her
first group-up screen kisses, has
positive virtues as well.

The shy, gangling, six-foot-five-
inch young actor is the most refresh-
ing Ambassador the movie moguls
have sent here in years.

Jerry, a 22-year-old ex-sergeant
who has been in five pictures, came
to town without wearing the dark
glasses with which many film vis-
itors announce their calling. He's
been to only one night club. He
doesn't drink or smoke, and his fa-
vorite beverage is milk.

"I drink a couple of quarts a day,"
he said. "Not as much as I used to."

This is his first visit to Manhat-
tan and these are his impressions:
"The buildings don't look as tall
as I expected, but the streets are
wider than I thought they'd be."
"You sure do have screwball ele-
vator operators."

"But I really don't expect to stay
in the movie business as an actor,"
he said gravely. "I'm not gregarious.
I like to meet people, but I like to
pick them. And you can't do that
if you're an actor."

In Hollywood Jerry lives by him-
self in a one-room efficiency apart-
ment, cooks his own breakfast and
dinner, between meals he nibbles on
six to eight brands of cold cereal.
He's still a growing lad. Between
film assignments he attends Univer-
sity classes.

"When I have any spare time,"
he said, "I like to climb a mountain
—or read. I don't like novels. I like
facts. I can sit down and read the
encyclopedia and enjoy it."

If Jerry sets a new pattern for the
film colony, it's going to be tough
on the older players. Imagine the
late W. C. Fields knocking off at
the studio to assault a mountain.
And then coming home to a bowl of
tasty bran flakes, a big glass foamy
milk—and afterward curling up for
a quiet evening with the encyclope-
dia!

But come again, Jerry. You strike
a new note in Manhattan, thrice
welcome stranger.

Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

- Party
- Fuse
- Feeling of warmth
- Original nurse
- Su. American bird
- Metal thread
- Samuel's mentor
- Uniform
- Lights of evening
- Equally advanced
- Formal request
- Surken fence
- Exist
- Unit
- Grew to be
- Peeling
- Crawl
- Strenuity
- Instrumental
- Put back
- Worn off
- Muse of certain poetry
- Linger
- Support
- Asain
- Otherwise
- Epoch
- Scrutinize
- Legal conveyance
- English letter
- Long fish

DOWN

- Send out
- Turtle shell
- In that place
- Any monkey
- Make public
- African antelope
- Volcanic matter
- Mercy-bearing rocks
- Poverty
- Printed
- Love story
- Anger
- Alphabet
- Pronoun
- Discommen-ance
- African antelope
- Self
- Charged with
- Genus of the bluegrass
- Older people
- Martique volcano
- Rub out
- Impressed with greatness
- Large bundle
- Increase
- River duck
- Possesses
- Actor's fast colloid.

Solution of Saturday's Puzzle

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- 2:05—Interlude
- 2:15—Milt Herth Trio
- 2:30—Claudia
- 2:45—Musical Siesta
- 3:00—News
- 3:05—Dress Parade
- 3:30—Afternoon Melodies
- 3:45—Organ Moods
- 4:00—Melodies for Today
- 4:15—Jigsaw News
- 4:30—Let Me Spin It
- 4:45—Letters to Santa Claus
- 5:00—Jungle Jim
- 5:15—Kiddie Korncart
- 5:30—News
- 5:45—Dinner Date
- 6:00—Sportscast
- 6:15—Between the Lines
- 6:30—Band of the Day
- 6:45—What's New in Music
- 7:00—Brody's Special
- 7:15—Musical Interlude
- 7:30—Melodies for Today
- 7:45—Piano Melodies
- 8:00—High School Half Hour
- 8:15—Poetic Reveries
- 8:30—Tex Street
- 8:45—Melodies for Today
- 9:00—Cat's Rat Race
- 9:15—Latin Rhythm
- 9:30—Platter Party
- 9:45—News
- 10:00—Platter Party
- 10:15—News
- 10:30—Platter Party
- 10:45—News
- 11:00—Sign Off.

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MONDAY P. M.

- 6:00—The Lone Ranger
- 6:30—Milt Herth Trio
- 6:40—Joe Overman, Jr.—Weather Report
- 6:45—Bill Jackson—Sports
- 6:50—Interlude
- 6:55—U. P. News
- 7:00—Lyn Myrray's Orch.
- 7:15—Uncle Remus
- 7:30—Henry J. Taylor, MBS
- 7:45—Orange Blossom Time
- 8:00—Favorite Story
- 8:30—Casebook of Gregory Hood, MBS
- 8:55—Hy Gardner—News (MBS)
- 9:00—Gabriel Heatter, MBS
- 9:15—Carousel of Christmas

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- 12:35—Joe Overman, Jr., Weather Report
- 12:40—I See By The Papers
- 12:45—Interlude
- 12:55—Time to Classify
- 1:00—Neighborhood Movie Round-up
- 1:15—The Happy Gang, MBS
- 1:45—Tex Beneke's Orch.
- 2:00—Queen for a Day, MBS
- 2:30—Afternoon Melodies
- 2:45—The Constant Invader
- 3:00—Red Benson's Movie Show, MBS
- 3:30—Christmas Calling

4:00—Carolina Calling
4:15—The Johnson Family, MBS
4:30—Centuries of Christmas
5:00—Benny Goodman's Orch.
5:15—Letters to Santa
5:30—Letters to Santa
5:45—Tox Mix, MBS

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Also being the same property as described in the deed from Garland Waller and wife, Mary Waller, dated July 11th, 1947, and recorded in Book A-25 at page 202, of the Pitt County Registry.

This the 20th day of November, 1948.

E. H. TAFT, JR., Trustee
Dink Jones, Attorney
Dec. 6-13-20-27

Christmas Show Closes Exhibit

By EVA BERRY HARRIS

The annual Christmas Show sponsored by the Greenville Garden Club closed Saturday night at the Woman's Club. In recent years this show has grown to be an important event in our city during the Christmas season and this year the exhibits were more original and beautiful than ever before, all of them being non-competitive. The idea was that of enriching the Christmas season with the offering of examples of flower arrangements, Nativity scenes and Yuletide home and table decorations for the enjoyment and inspiration of the people of the community at large. As has become almost legendary, the em-

phasis this year again was placed rightly on the availability and variety of seasonal material which may be used artistically for Christmas decorations at low cost.

The massive mantel in the Rachel Maxwell Moore Auditorium, which was done by Miss Lella Higgs and her committee composed of Mesdames H. C. Porter and E. B. Pace, deserves special mention. The mantel, flanked on either side by beautifully decorated and lighted Christmas trees, featured the use of evergreens, gold stars, red berries and candles, the entire setting being effectively framed with hand-made garlands of Christmas greenery. The colonial fireplace was banked with magnolia, pine and cedar.

The lovely displays this year, which drew from the throngs at-

tending the show many hearty and enthusiastic comments of praise, included front door, background, mantel and table decorations, winter bouquets, decorated and illuminated trees and stars, wreaths and swags, stairway and hall decorations, party favors and place cards, gaily-wrapped Christmas packages, a bird tree, a huge table of unusual decoration and another of an almost infinite variety of Christmas sweets.

In addition to these displays there were to be seen an interesting depthograph, exhibited by Mrs. Herman Nobles, a fine school exhibit, to which pupils of both white and colored schools contributed, which was arranged by Mrs. W. J. Stell in the Rose Quinery room and last, but not least by any means, was the Salts Southall Cot-

Artists Appear In Joint Recital



EDNA PHILLIPS



LOUIS RONNY

Shown above are Edna Phillips, coloratura soprano, and Louis Ronny, tenor, who will appear this evening at 8:00 o'clock in the Wright auditorium in a joint recital sponsored by the Entertainment Committee of East Carolina Teachers College. The artists, both young American singers, are becoming increasingly well known through work in concert, in opera, and on the radio. Miss Phillips, now preparing for an operatic career, has twice been chosen as soloist on Toscanini broadcasts; appeared on nationally popular radio programs, such as the

Ford Hour; and toured with the Columbia Grand Opera Quartet. Ronny, Atlanta-born singer and protégé of Grace Moore and John Charles Thomas, had his career interrupted when he entered the Navy and served in the Pacific as a gunnery and torpedo officer. He is now well on the road to stardom. He has sung with leading symphony orchestras, toured as a leading tenor with the Wagner Opera Company, and appeared in the role of Cavaradossi in "Tosca" with Dimitri Mitropoulos in summer festival performances in New York and Philadelphia.

ten room which was charmingly decorated as a Child's Room after the visit of Santa Claus by the Junior Woman's Club as a civic project and as their special contribution to the success of this year's Garden Club's Christmas Show.

Outstanding among the dining room decorations, which featured many tables, was a formal Christmas table in silver and white by Mrs. S. T. White. Other beautifully-appointed tables included: A Victorian Tea Table, Mrs. L. T. Shotwell; Breakfast Table, Mrs. J. L. Winstead; Formal Dinner, Mrs. M. K. Blount; Children's Party, Mrs. Wendell Smiley; Christmas Breakfast, Mrs. J. Bryan Brown; Children's Party, Mrs. Joe Moye; Bride's Tea Table, Mrs. J. Vance Perkins and Mrs. Robert Thompson; Christmas Tea Table, Mrs. J. Key Brown and Mrs. M. L. Wright; Dinner Table, Mrs. R. M. Garrett; Arrangement for Buffet, Mrs. M. L. Wright and Mrs. J. Key Brown; Christmas Morning, Mrs. J. B. James; A table featuring a Children's Party centerpiece, Mrs. Erel Webb; a table set with Christmas Tree China, Mrs. Fred Langford; Dessert Table, Mrs. Knott Proctor; Little Girl's Party, Mrs. J. L. Winstead; Buffet Supper, Mrs. L. C. Skinner; Holiday Dinner, Mrs. S. M. Crisp; Dinner Table, Mahonia Centerpiece, Mrs. J. B. James; Informal Chilli Supper, Mrs. L. T. Shotwell and Christmas Eve (Alice's Bedside Table), featuring a fairy godmother with a lighted wand in her hand, Mrs. L. C. Skinner.

These contributing good things to eat to the table of Christmas Sweets included Mesdames W. I. Wooten, S. M. Crisp, W. H. Taft, Ralph Garrett, D. W. Swope, J. D. Messick, H. L. Rivers, Rufus Keel, Lee Hannah Wendell Smiley, J. B. Kittrell, Tom Webb, Charles Finnagan, L. W. Tucker, Ed Harvey, Henry Andrews, C. L. Russ, Bette Pott Young and Miss Josephine Radcliffe.

Recordings of Christmas carols were played during the show and two delightful programs of Christmas songs and music were given by a group of school children, under the direction of Miss Jean Hook supervisor of music in the elementary schools of the city. Miss Hook was presented by Mrs. J. L. Fleming, chairman of music.

Mrs. J. H. B. Moore is president of the Greenville Garden Club and Mrs. Vance Perkins is president of the Greenville Woman's Club. The executive board and chairmen of committees were in charge of arrangements and the following were members of special committees: Steering Committee, Mrs. J. K. Brown, chairman, Mesdames J. H. B. Moore, M. L. Wright, W. J. Stell

M. K. Blount and R. M. Garrett; Publicity, Mrs. J. B. Spilman; Music, Mrs. J. L. Fleming; Background, Mesdames H. S. Ragsdale and P. E. Wells; Tables, Mesdames H. L. Rivers, J. B. James and J. Knott Proctor; Children's Tables, Mrs. J. L. Winstead; Mantels, Miss Lella Higgs, Mrs. H. C. Porter and Mrs. K. E. Pace; Wreaths and Swags, Mesdames Ed Harvey, J. G. Lautares and L. B. Garris; Front Door, Mesdames Ed Batchelor, J. E. Phelps and Richard Hardaway; Stairway and Hall, Mesdames J. B. White and Patsy Randolph; Trees, Mesdames M. L. Wright, J. D. Messick and J. K. Long; Bird Tree, Mrs. C. E. Oakley; Winter Bouquets and Unusual Decorations, Mrs. A. B. Corey, Mrs. O. M. Marshall and Mrs. T. E. Hooker; Packages, Mrs. H. L. Andrews and Mrs. C. L. Russ; Christmas Sweets, Mesdames W. I. Wooten and S. M. Crisp; School Exhibits, Mrs. W. J. Stell; Hostesses Committee, Mrs. Hicks Corey and Mrs. W. L. Cherry; House Committee, Mrs. Vance Perkins and Mrs. N. C. Brooks.

Christmas Mail From Tax Dept.

Raleigh, N.C., Dec. 13—(AP)—The State Revenue Department is getting out its Christmas mail, too.

Only it's not a pleasant greeting at all—just income tax blanks which will have to be back here by March 15.

Charlie Cook, director of the department's income tax division, said "we should have them all in the mail before Christmas. We try to get out about 35,000 a day."

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Summer weather prevailed here yesterday and today. The thermometer at the Weather Bureau recorded 71 degrees as the highest yesterday. It was 55 degrees this morning at 8 o'clock.

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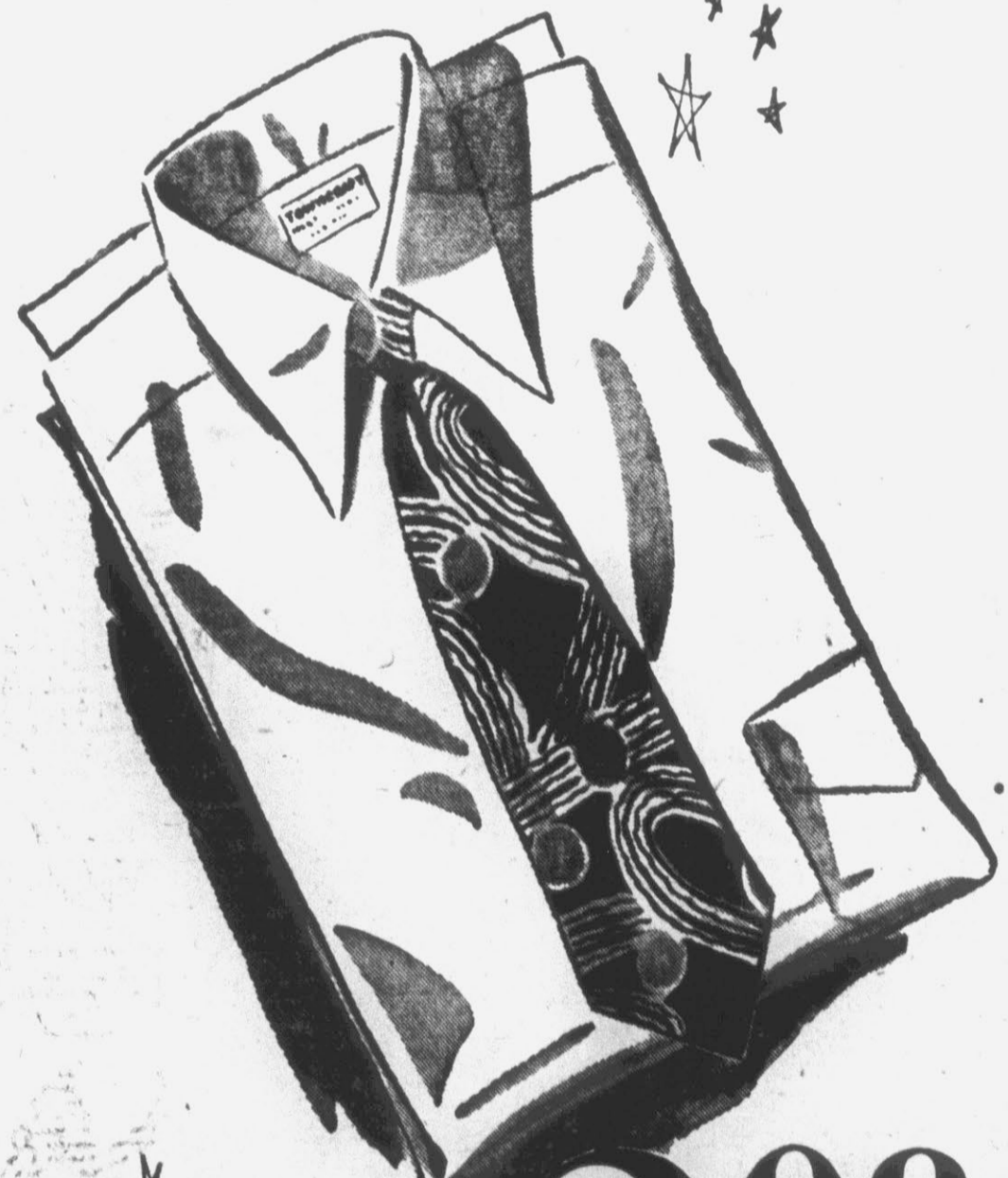
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Stranahan Wins In Miami Event

Miami, Fla., Dec. 13.—(AP)—Amateur Frank Stranahan of Toledo, O., today set his sights on other major PGA golf tournaments after winning the \$10,000 Miami open with a 10-under par 270.

Stranahan coasted in with a par 70 on the final round yesterday to finish four strokes in front of Melvin Harbert, Detroit professional, who blew a 72 and 74 but took first money of \$2,000.

Champion Thinks Charles Is Best

Philadelphia, Dec. 13.—(AP)—Joe Louis said today he figures Ezzard Charles has earned a shot at Joe's championship.

Phantoms Meet Wilson Hoopers Here Tuesday

Greenville's Phantoms will open their home court basketball slate tomorrow night when they play host to the Class AA Wilson High School cagers on the local hardwood.

It will be the second game of the season for Coach Bo Farley's varsity and Jayvee quintets who lost to Rocky Mount by close scores in their first games last week.

Ben Hogan Tops In Prize-Takings

Miami, Fla., Dec. 13.—(AP)—Ben Hogan, recently named as the "Professional of the Year," also was the Professional Golf Association's top money winner with \$32,112 in tournament prize earnings.

Citation Needs One Victory To Set Money Mark

San Bruno, Calif., Dec. 13.—(AP)—Citation, leading money winner at Tanforan race track in only two starts, needs only a victory in his next scheduled race at Santa Anita, to become the richest winner in history.

Williams Again American League Batting Champ

Chicago, Dec. 13.—(AP)—During a season in which overall hitting generally improved, Ted Williams slamed the American League batting championship, his second crown in a row and his fourth in five actual playing campaigns.

Compton Wins In 'Little Rose'

Pasadena, Calif., Dec. 13.—(AP)—Compton college of California won its second win in the three-year history of the Little Rose Bowl game by trampling Duluth, Minn., Junior college 48-14.

Upholds Further Financial Aid In Athletic Code

Washington, Dec. 13.—(AP)—The Southern Conference has reiterated its stand in favor of more financial aid to athletes.

Moscow, home of the University of Idaho, was called "Paradise" before its name was changed in 1875.

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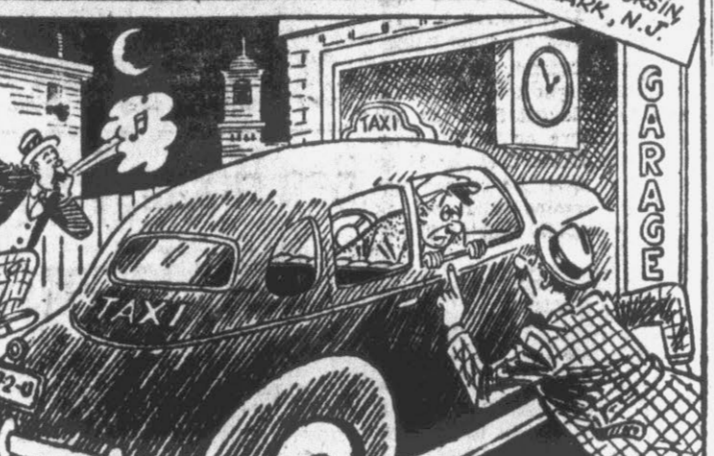
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rumbling roar made me elect the
East River as my best guess. I mean,
I was sure I was close to where Long
Island traffic, to and fro, was cross-
ing one of the bridges. But which
one I didn't bother to guess.
"What did DeFoe say to you yester-
day?"
"Who's DeFoe?" I came right
back.
He'd warned me to be bright, so
I got it. A smack that seemed to
loosen every one of my teeth. They
were certainly playing in a blue
chip league.
"What did DeFoe say to you yester-
day, Barnes?"
"Nothing particular, that I re-
member," I said. "We just battled
the breeze. Were you one of the
six million there, too?"
"Right," he admitted. "And you
didn't bat any breeze with that
baby. He made a date at your office
for this morning."
I thought of DeFoe's angry glare
that had made me turn around and
see nothing but imported potted
palms. It appeared now that there
had been somebody. And that some-
body had heard us make the date.
The killer? This character who
owned the ready voice in the dis-
tance?
"Then why ask me?" I played
for time.
"Nobody's asking you that," he
gave it to me pointedly. "Why did
he want to see you?"
"I don't know," I said truthfully.
And then as I sensed movement
close, I added quickly, "And tell
this plug-ugly here that slugging me
won't change that at all. I just don't
know!"
"No?"
"No."
"You're a fool, Barnes! Did you
know that?"
"When I flag my next taxi I
won't be," I told him. "But how's
for letting me pitch one?"
"What do you mean?"
"Me ask a question," I told him.
"All right," he decided. "Let's
have it."
"Why was DeFoe scragged in my
office?" I demanded.
Silence. Butches of it. A great
big carload of it. I could hear three
different kinds of heavy breathing.
Like three guys who had been run-
ning for a long time.
"Once again, Barnes?" the distant
voice asked, and I could almost pic-
ture his lips stiff and back against
his teeth. . . if he had teeth.
"Why was DeFoe scragged in my
office?" I repeated. And then be-
cause I seldom let well enough alone,
I added, "I didn't ask who. . . I
asked why? The other one, I know!"
And, of course, not having been
the type to let well enough alone,
I walked myself right into a terrific
beating.
I did come up onto my feet, and
all the rough and tumble with hands
tied that I'd learned and put to use
in the OSS came to my rescue. But
it came just a little bit late. I got
in a couple of head butts, and I
kicked a couple of shins, and I
even worked a leg trip-twist that
dropped somebody like a ton of
bricks. And then just as the bellow
of pain was starting to be music
in my exploding ears the whole
works came down with a crash, and
there I was under it all. But I didn't
know about that. All I knew was
stricken from nothing. . . for the
second time in one day!

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Her condition was described as critical.

More than 200 Marines, soldiers and island police had combed the jungle for Miss Farnsworth—one of the most beautiful girls on Guam. She had been a Navy civil service employe for two years. She disappeared from the Oriental goods shop, presumably about 8 p.m. Saturday. A passerby reported that he noticed the lights of the shop go out at that time.

At the 22nd Army Hospital, attaches said Miss Farnsworth was suffering from "multiple injuries and exposure." Her condition was so critical that last rites of the Mormon Church were administered.

Supai, Ariz.—(AP)—The trail to this Indian community at the bottom of the Grand Canyon drops 1,000 feet from the canyon rim in the first mile and a half of its 14 miles.

Handel's Messiah Heard By Overflow Audience Sunday

By CHESTER WALSH

Musicians-lovers of Greenville and nearly a dozen other cities of Eastern Carolina paid fine tribute to Miss Ona Shindler, director of music at the high school, for the wonderful presentation by the High School Mixed Chorus of Handel's "The Messiah" Sunday afternoon. An overflow audience heard the wonderful rendition. The beautiful story of the Redemption would have elicited the same pleasure and appreciation and a marked degree of inspiration in Carnegie Hall in New York or in any of the metropolitan centers. Talent for music among the high school students is abundant and a distinct credit to the school, the section and the state.

Miss Shindler's presentation of "The Messiah" was the best this newspaper reporter has ever heard. The young singers sang their parts with the reverence and technique of adults.

The accompanists, Mrs. Guy V. Smith and Mrs. Karl V. Gilbert, contributed much to the fine rendition of the Christmas story.

The soloists, Mrs. Moye Dall, soprano; Miss Gladys Reichard and Dr. Dan Vornholt of the college, and Ed O. Parkinson, bass, interpreted their parts in an exceptionally talented manner, and their singing formed the basis of the wonderful work of the young singers.

Music in the Greenville High School is a standard for other schools of the state, a former member of Lewis Sidney Bullock's Symphonic Chorus, said at the conclusion of the program.

Rev. Roscoe C. Hauser, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, pronounced the invocation.

Salvation Army To Provide Christmas Cheer In County

The Salvation Army's local post is making preparations for providing Christmas cheer for many deserving people in Pitt County this Christmas, Maj. W. H. Stanley, post commander, said today. The "Christmas House," with the "board of dimes," has been placed on Evans Street at Five Points, and a Salvation Army worker is on duty daily receiving Christmas contributions.

The Salvation Army is planning to distribute Christmas checks for food for worthy families and toys for the children. The Army will send "sunshine baskets" to inmates of the county and city jails, the County Home and the State Prison Camp.

W. H. Davenport is principal of G. M. Eppe Negro High School.

Spy Case . . .

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In that event some other charge might be made. But now there is nothing publicly known to indicate the spy ring, or a conspiracy, kept on working.

A federal grand jury in New York has been investigating reports of a pre-war Communist spy ring here for 18 months.

The term of that jury—it was set up 18 months ago to work for 18 months—ends Wednesday when a new grand jury takes over.

Reports are strong here that the jury will charge, or indict, one or more people for perjury before it quits Wednesday.

Rep. Nixon, California Republican, has said "the indication is that Chambers will certainly be indicted for perjury."

Hiss and Chambers both testified under oath before the New York grand jury and before the House Un-American Activities Committee here.

What the men said in the grand jury room is not known because the jury's work is secret. But their testimony before the committee is a public record.

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That sturdy declaration comes from the chairman of the United Nations Human Rights Commission. She is one of the chief creators of the declaration of human rights which has just been completed after two and a half years of labor. It is one of the great documents of all time and, while thus far it is merely a statement of principles, the commission will seek next year to draft a treaty enforcing these sweeping rights.

The Soviet bloc has battled this work all the way, and tried to prevent its adoption at the finish.

Injured In Fall

Mrs. Thornton W. Weeks, cashier at the Carolina Telephone & Telegraph Company, Greenville, received back injuries Sunday when she fell down steps while visiting in Wilson. She is at Herring-Woodard hospital for treatment and observation.

DEATH OF MRS. WATSON

Mrs. Harriett Hamilton Watson, 86, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. N. O. Hodges of near Winterville, this morning at 3 o'clock. Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

N.Y. Cotton

New York, Dec. 13—(AP)—Cotton futures opened 40 to 80 cents a bale lower today.

Noon prices were \$1.00 a bale lower to 15 cents higher than the previous close. Dec. 32.12, March 32.21, and May 31.94.

Hog Market

Raleigh, Dec. 13—(AP)—(NCDA)—Hog prices steady to slightly stronger. Tops of \$20.50 at Kinston, Rocky Mount, Tarboro, Greenville, Wilson, Goldsboro and Washington.

Poultry and Eggs

Raleigh, Dec. 13—(AP)—(NCDA)—Fryers and broilers steady at 36 for 2 1-2 to 2 3-4 pound weights; eggs steady, A large 60.

N.Y. Stock Market

New York, Dec. 13—(AP)—Prices held to a mixed and narrow range in the stock market today with trading only moderately active. The emphasis was on the higher side, however, and a few issues here and there pushed up a point or more.

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